ALEPPO TEMPLE

Ancient Arabic Order of the ✱✱✱ "ES SELAMU ALEIKUM" ✱✱✱ Nobles of the Mystic Shrine

Illustrious Noble, Attend!

The Caravan of Aleppo will halt at

OASIS OF BOSTON, MASS.

SYMPHONY HALL

CORNER OF HUNTINGTON AND MASSACHUSETTS AVENUES, BOSTON

On the Evening of

Tuesday, April 29th, 1902

AT SIX O'CLOCK

When we will assemble, and transact the regular business in the regular way. There will be rag-time to chew, and golden opportunities for oratory. We don't need any gold bricks. Nobles who succeed in selling their knock-kneed camels must not forget that the Temple will enforce payment of the usual commissions. It will be a good time to trade (dollars for dues).

YOU KNOW

The Fee is $25.00, and that we don't take scrap iron in trade. You ought to have a friend in this class. He will think more of you for persuading him, and he will be improved.

Winner of the SHRINE JEWEL *and Fez*

NOBLE EDWARD H. WISE, he having proposed 64 Nobles who have received the Order during the year 1901.

HERE IS THE LIST OF COMPETITORS:

E. H. Wise, 64. B. W. Rowell, 15. H B Sawyer, 10. F. O. Staples, 8.
Jas. B. Small, 8. C. Saunders, 5 T W Ferguson, 5. B. M. Scott, 3.
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THE OFFER *is* REPEATED *for* 1902

What T'ell Bill

By Rudyard Kipling.

Cast aside your cares and troubles,
Stop that everlasting whine,
Chasing wealth is chasing bubbles,
Come, be joyful at the Shrine.

The world's all right; don't try to change it:
Quit your heefing; get in line;
You can easily arrange it
If you'll join us at the Shrine.

What'll matter fifty years hence
Whether the wealth is yours or mine?
Who then will know the difference?
Then, smile with us at the Shrine.

Here you'll find good, Noble fellows
'Round whose hearts love doth entwine;
But the man who heels and bellows
Has no business at the Shrine.

Then, let this invitation go out,
Pass it right along the line,
That we're going to have a "blow-out"
In true fashion at the Shrine.

So, for a time, forget your sorrow,
Let's be joyful and benign;
And remember we can borrow
Joy and gladness at the Shrine.

"Hullo"

When you see a man in woe
Walk right up and say "hullo!"
Say "hullo" an' "how d'ye do!"
"How's the world a-usin' you?"
Slap the fellow on his back,
Bring yer han' down with a whack;
Walk right up an' don't go slow,
Smile an' shake an' say "hullo!"

Is he clothed in rags? O sho!
Walk right up an' say "hullo!"
Rags is but a cotton roll
Jest for wroppin' up a soul;
An' a soul is worth a true,
Hale and hearty "how d'ye do!"
Don't wait for the crowd to go,
Walk right up an' say "hullo!"

When big vessels meet, they say,
They salute an' sail away,
Jest the same are you an' me—
Lonesome ships upon the sea;
Each one sailing his own log
For a port beyond the fog,
Let yer speakin' trumpet blow,
Lift yer horn an' cry "hullo!"

Say "hullo" an' "how d'ye do!"
Other folks are good as you,
When you leave yer home and stray,
Wanderin' in the far away,
When you travel through the strange
Country t'other side the range,
Then the souls you've cheered will know
Who you be, an' say "hullo!"

For the TRADITIONAL BANQUET

at this session, which is going to be a "hummer," the following bill of fare has been prepared. The Committee expect to add another course or two, if necessary:

MENOO *or* MANEE

(American French as she is spoke)

Yellow Mill Pond Trunk Sewer Oysters on the 3-4 shell
Clams (Rubber or Low-necks) Patty du Clam

POTAGE

Lincrusta Walton Celluloid Bog Boiled Oyster Stew Milk Weed
Oleomargarine Bill-Board Paste Guano

POISSON

Barnacles a la Nooburg Octopus slathered with Oxaleckasid Pin Fish Baked Whale
Codfish Balls Chinese Polywogs Skates
Suckers Walrus Liver, pluck and lights (electric) breaded Shiners
Sardines (from Maine) in good old cottonseed oil Sea Spiders with Mayonaise
Periwinkles, Dandruff Sauce Fiddlers in Jelly
Swimmers on Toast—i. e., picked up fish

OEUFS

Tired Eggs Antique Eggs Eggs just snared Eggsactly Other Eggs

GIBIER

Fire Sniffle Birds Politician Crow Iguano Souffle Wharf Rats Kalsomined
Pennsioners Soaked in Tabasco Sauce Snipe with Asbestos Dressing
Mud Hens stuffed with Blasting Powder and roasted in Hades
Sea Gulls Hell Divers razzooed Gutter Snipe Blue (and other) Jays Ostrich Lungs Fricasseed Shitepokes
Skunk Stuffed with Poultice

ON THE SIDE

Flamingoe's eyebrows stewed in tar Grilled Rhinoceros Kosherwurst with catch-booze balls
Steak from that Mantanzas Mule Bobbie and Squeak from Hold Hengland
Bug Hash, a la Delmonico Yucatan Toad Cutlets with Sayrkraut Canada Thistle Salad
Corned Beef and Cabbage Irish Stew Westchester Sauce
Sinkers Fresh Salt Fine Cocoanut Shells Pepper
Chicago and Boston Limited—i. e., Pork and Beans

CHAUD

Sugared Icicles Gedampftes Snow Balls Pitasche

DESSERT

Bald Mince Pie Cigars and Segars

Imperial Council Meeting, San Francisco, Cal.

June 10 to 12, 1902

A special rate of $50.00 for the round trip from Chicago has been made, which means an opportunity to save money on that visit to California you have been thinking about. The California Nobles are arranging to entertain in true Arabic fashion, and every Noble of Aleppo Temple who attends will have cause to be pleased with himself.

You can go via one route and return by another, all of which any railroad agent will tell you about in detail.

Final return limit on tickets is July 31. If you intend to go advise Noble E. H. Wise, 203 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

To the Novices

There are a few real smooth things in this world that you have not seen yet, and that your eyes may behold and your ears hear, some of these things will on this occasion be revealed to you

"Even as it was in the beginning unto Mohammed and his faithful followers."

BEHOLD, they which come into the strange land shall be humbled ere they depart thence; they shall be made to bow down and humble themselves before the overseers, and their bodies shall be scourged for an example to those who scoff at things that are secret."

Be on hand promptly at the hour designated.

Leave your life insurance and accident policies where they can easily be found by your heirs, executors, administrators or assigns.

Bandages and lotions will be provided at the cost of the Temple.

You will not need spurs to ride our camels. Their humps have been re-sandpapered and new ball-bearing air-cushioned saddles are provided for novices.

Hold on to everything you get your hands on, especially ropes, so you may learn "the ropes."

Wash your feet and soak them in coal tar. This will prevent you taking cold when you step on the hot sands. Relieve all things, hope all things, endure all things, and rest contented in the assurance that all Shriners have gone the same road before you.

The procession will form at 6 30 sharp. Be there and be ready. When you get there, do as you are bidden. Novices who do not join in this procession will be required to walk the hot sands solitary and alone, will not be permitted to occupy front seats at the banquet table, nor drink unskimmed camel's milk from our golden cups, but will be required to

Go *Way Back* and Sit *Down* on the Ice Box!

Dress same as though you were going as a spectator to a football game and have your feet made ball-bearing if possible; this will enable you to move alo g without friction.

Should you get an opportunity to hang onto anything, don't let go, for thereby hangs a tale.

A child-like simplicity compels consideration. To know-it-all is to realize sudden awakenings. Don't be overwise.

You will be told what to do even while you are being done. Wait for direction. You might take too large a dose.

It is not becoming in a novice to remember that he is only a part in the performance, and not by any means the most important part either

Any last wishes reduced to writing will be respected.

A Candidate is like a yellow dog—he hollers the loudest, but other folks do the work.

THESE WONDERS *will be* REVEALED AT MECCA

And there shall be revealed unto thee secrets which thy mind creeth, but naught that would create unrest shalt thou learn at Mecca. —*Koran, Sura XIII: VI.*

HOW to hit a high-ball that has a swift down shoot on it.

How the music played by Aleppo band is composed and why there are so many protested notes in it.

The ingredients of a laxative for financial constipation that works while you sleep.

How to make a watch run down when you are coming up in an elevator.

How to hang a jury so that when it dries up to blow away there will not be too much dust.

Echo of Our Last Ceremonial Session

I was at the Shriner show
Martha Jane,
And I am keen to go
There again.
For the things on which I fed,
Sent me wabbling off to bed,
And I woke up with a head
Streaked with pain.

O! the camel ride I took,
Every inspiration shook
Out of me;
For the moment that I struck
On that hump he wears for luck,
You had ought to see him buck,
Holly gee!

I've a warping of the spine,
Martha dear,
And my ribs are out of line
Too, I fear.
Every organ that I own,
Every ligament and bone,
Every blooming thing seems thrown
Out of gear.

O! I doesn't tell it all,
Dear, for it
Would but treat you to a fall
In a fit.
Doesn't tell you of the fun,
When the mystic work was done,
And the most degrees begun,
Nit! O! Nit!

Now I am a Shriner, dear,
Don't you see?
And I need no longer fear
That degree,
And I'll sit with gleeful pride,
And watch other victims ride
Down that old base-burning slide
Same as me.

Remember the day and keep the date,
Remember the hour and see be late,
Remember your Fez to cover your pate,
Remember to say to your lovely mate,
That if your're not in early, she need not wait.
Endeavor to secure a candidate,
And escort him as far as the outer gate;
He'll not be sorry to meet his fate,
And will think it cheap at our modest rate,
Which we must have to pay the freight.
For all who come we'll simply state,
There'll be both hard and liquid bait.

As ever,

B. W. Rowell
Recorder.

FINALLY

Be on time in full dress — claws and Fez if you have them, if not, wear any old thing; you will be fully as welcome. But don't forget your Fez.

Courteously yours,

Albion F. Ulrich
Potentate.

WORDS OF WISDOM *from the* PROPHET

Hearken to My Words, Ye Sons of the Unregenerate:

MODESTY is a becoming virtue; do not, therefore, know it all — there are others.

"Confidentials don't go,"
As the boys never lag
On that old Ragtime gag—
I'm not feeling well tonight.

BE not over-avaricious in pleading for "more," for verily thy prayer shall be granted thee; leastwise thou shalt surely receive thy money's worth.

Moderation in all things is the distinguishing mark of the noblest.

Ye that have heard, take heed to my words

All visiting Nobles are invited to be with us at this meeting
All they need is their card for 1902

The Official Divan *for* 1902

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